



# Board Agenda Background

**Date:** 1/6/2026  
**To:** Board of County Commissioners  
**Through:** Colton Rohloff, County Manager  
**From:** Aaron Crawley, EMS Director  
**Subject:** Consideration of Approval of Addendum to the I-70 Automatic and Mutual Aid Agreement

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## **RECOMMENDATION**

Clear Creek EMS staff recommends approval of the addendum to the I-70 Automatic and Mutual Aid Agreement with Evergreen Fire Rescue.

## **BACKGROUND**

The attached addendum allows the Community Crisis and Health Assessment Team (CCHAT) and Community Integrated Health Care Services (CIHCS), to operate in the Evergreen service area when requested. It also allows Evergreen Fire Rescue (EFR) CIHCS to operate in the Clear Creek service area when requested. This partnership will allow for consistent Community Paramedic (CP) services for each agency during times of limited staffing. Clear Creek currently has one operational CP. If this CP is on vacation, CIHCS appointments must be rescheduled. With this agreement, CCHAT will be able to complete the appointment with our partner, ensuring we continue to meet the social and medical needs of the community.

## **ANALYSIS**

Approving this agreement will allow CCHAT to provide consistent primary and preventative care to our community during times of limited staffing. Without this agreement in the future, we would potentially need to cancel or reschedule appointments at times, which could negatively impact CIHCS patients' care progress. It could also impact trust with some of these vulnerable individuals that rely on CCHAT and CIHCS to bridge the gap with their primary care. This agreement is the same as an EMS mutual aid agreement, which allows for the sharing of services during times of limited staffing/capacity.

## **CONCLUSION**

This mutual aid addendum for CIHCS will allow for both EFR and CCHAT to provide consistent service to our communities during times of limited staffing/capacity.

## **FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact for this project.

## **ATTACHMENT:**

1. Addendum to the I-70 Automatic and Mutual Aid Agreement with Evergreen Fire Rescue